



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
COMBINED DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY & PETITION**

**TYPE OF DECLARATION**

- ☒ Utility
- ☐ Design
- ☐ Supplemental
- ☐ Divisional
- ☐ Continuation
- ☐ Continuation-in-part
- ☐ National Stage of the PCT

**INVENTORSHIP AND SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION**

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one is listed below) or a joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the invention entitled:

**MULTIMEDIA COLLABORATION SYSTEM**

as described and claimed in the specification which

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☐ was filed on October 1, 1993
  - ☐ as U.S. Serial Number. 08/131523; or
  - ☐ Express Mail No. IB797648874 (as serial number not yet known); and
  - ☐ was amended on \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. PCT/ /  
filed on \_\_\_\_\_; and
  - ☐ as amended under PCT Article 19 and/or 34 on \_\_\_\_\_.

**REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR**

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the attached specification including the drawing and claims as amended by any amendment referred to below; and

I acknowledge my duty to disclose information of which I am aware which is material to the examination of this application, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56(a); and

- ☐ in compliance with this duty there is attached an information disclosure statement.

**DECLARATION**

I declare that all statements made above of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint the following patent attorneys and/or patent agent(s) with full power of appointment, substitution and revocation to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments thereto, to receive the patent, and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected therewith.

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PETITION

Wherefore, I pray that Letters Patent be granted to me for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the above-mentioned specification and claims, and I hereby subscribe my name to the foregoing Declaration, Power of Attorney & Petition with references to the above-identified specification and claims.

SIGNATURES

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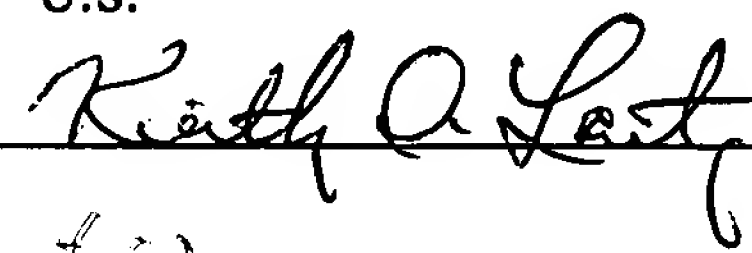
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### VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS

I hereby declare that I am

- ☐ the owner of the small business concern identified below:
- ☐ an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

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I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121.12, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention, entitled MULTIMEDIA COLLABORATION SYSTEM by inventors LUDWIG, L; LAUWERS, C.; LANZ, K.; BURNETT, G.; and BURNS, E., described in

- ☐ the specification filed herewith
- ☒ application serial No. 08/131,523, application filed October 1, 1993.
- ☐ patent no. \_\_\_\_\_, issued \_\_\_\_\_.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights in the invention is listed below\* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

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I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.78(b))

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

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